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PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

SUMMARY



WEEKLY SUMMARY AIR AND NAVAL ORDER OF BATTLE NORTH VIETNAM

19-25 JUNE 1965

Declass Review by NIMA/DOD

NPIC/R-270/65

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PREFACE

This weekly summary lists the air and naval order of battle imaged on photography covering North Vietnam. All active airfields and naval bases will be reported. Active targets are those where an order of battle has been observed since [REDACTED]. Inactive targets showing an order of battle will be reactivated.

Naval vessels observed in river naval areas, dispersal areas, or untargeted areas and aircraft observed in untargeted areas will be located to the nearest second.

Targets are arranged 1) within the country by subject,

2) within the subject by WAC area, and 3) within the WAC area by geographic coordinates in ascending order.

Coverage on each target will be presented in chronological order. Aircraft and naval vessels observed in untargeted areas will be listed separately at the end of this report.

An explanation of column headings and photo references used in presenting the information is contained in the appendix.

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Target		Coordinates	WAC	Target Numbers	
				BE	NPIC
	<p>-NORTH VIETNAM-</p> <p>AIR INSTALLATIONS</p>				
25X1A	HAIPHONG/KIEN AN AIRFIELD	2048N 10636E	0616	25X1A	109-B
25X1D	COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED]				
	AIRCRAFT -- 2 PROBABLE CAB, 1 POSSIBLE CAB, AND 1 PROBABLE SINGLE-ENGINE STRAIGHT-WING.				
25X1D	[REDACTED]				
25X1D	AIRCRAFT -- 7 COLT AND 5 CAB.				
25X1A	HAIPHONG/CAT BI AIRFIELD	2049N 10643E	0616	25X1A	109-A
25X1D	COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED]				
	AIRCRAFT -- 9 MAX/MOOSE, 1 COLT, AND 4 PROBABLE DUMMY FAGOT/FRESCO.				
25X1D	[REDACTED]				
25X1A	PHUC YEN AIRFIELD	2113N 10548E	0616	25X1A	326-C
25X1D	COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED]				
	AIRCRAFT -- 1 PROBABLE BEAGLE, 1 POSSIBLE BEAGLE, AND 18 SMALL.				
25X1D	[REDACTED]				
25X1D	AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.				
25X1D	[REDACTED]				

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HON GAY/BAI CHAY NAVAL DISPERSAL AREA

2058N 10704E

0615

109-B1

VESELS -- 2 FREIGHTERS, 1 YP, AND NUMEROUS
SMALL CRAFT.

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CUA LACH GIANG (RIVER) NAVAL AREA

2001N 10612E

0616

509

VESELS -- NONE OBSERVED.

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HAIPHONG NAVAL BASE

2052N 10640E

0616

109-E

VESELS -- 2 SWATOW-CLASS PGM, 1 COASTAL
FREIGHTER, AND 2 PC.

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25X1A

QUANG KHE NAVAL BASE CUU DINH

1742N 10629E

0617

288

25X1D

COMOR TARGET NO

25X1D

VESELS -- NONE OBSERVED.

25X1D

SONG GIANG (RIVER) NAVAL AREA

1742N 10629E

0617

288-F

VESELS -- NONE OBSERVED.

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25X1A

BA DON NAVAL BASE

1743N 10626E

0617

102-D

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	Target	Coordinates	WAC	Target Numbers	
				BE	NPIC
25X1D	VESSELS -- 1 DAMAGED SWATOW-CLASS PGM PARTIALLY SUBMERGED. [REDACTED]	1839N 10542E	0617		128-D1
25X1D	SONG CA (RIVER) NAVAL AREA [REDACTED]				
25X1D	VESSELS -- 1 PROBABLE SWATOW-CLASS PGM OBSERVED AT 18-38-15N 105-42-35E. [REDACTED]	1844N 10545E	0617	25X1A	128-M
25X1A	PHUC LOI NAVAL BASE			[REDACTED]	
25X1D	COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED] [REDACTED]	1948N 10555E	0617		126-N1
25X1D	VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. [REDACTED]				
25X1D	SONG MA (RIVER) NAVAL AREA [REDACTED]				
25X1D	VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. [REDACTED]				
25X1D	VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED. [REDACTED]				
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APPENDIX

COLUMN HEADINGS

City, Installation--This column contains the name of the city or town nearest the installation, followed by the name of the installation. If the name of the installation is not known, it is titled according to its function. Where appropriate, the city and installation names are followed by a capsule description.

Coordinates--Coordinates are referenced to the SW corner of the minute square. When the subject installation covers a wide area, coordinates are given for the approximate center of the installation.

WAC--This column provides the World Aeronautical Chart number for that area in which the subject installation is situated.

Installation Numbers--This column is divided into two subcolumns. The first subcolumn lists, when known, the BE installation number assigned to the installation. The second subcolumn lists the installation number assigned by NPIC. Installation numbers, when used to reference an item, should be prefixed by the appropriate WAC number, since installation numbers are repeated from WAC to WAC. For example, there is an NPIC target number 0468-15-A

and an NPIC target number 0467-15-A. In each instance, the NPIC installation number is 15-A, but the installations appear on different WAC charts.

COMOR TARGET NUMBERS

Target numbers assigned by the Committee on Overhead Reconnaissance (COMOR), when available, are listed directly above the photo reference data.

PHOTO REFERENCE DATA

The photo reference data indicates the frame(s) on which the installation appears.

CONDITIONS AFFECTING PHOTOGRAPHY

Following the photo reference data, symbols indicate conditions which affect the appearance of the installation on the photography. The symbols are: C (clear); SC (scattered cloud cover); HC (heavy cloud cover); SC-HC (scattered-to-heavy cloud cover); H (haze); CS (cloud shadow); SD (semidarkness); S (snow); PC (partial coverage); O (obliquity); and PQ (poor image quality).

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